

FORM PTO-1449 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION			Attorney Docket: 1232-5078		Serial No.: 10/613,733	
			Applicant: Kenji TAKAHASHI			
			Filing Date: July 2, 2003		Group Art Unit: 2621	
			U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initial	Patent Number	Publication Date	Name	Class	Sub-Class	Filing Date

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initial	Patent Number	Publication Date	Country	Class	Sub-Class	Translation
/MS/	07-203228	08/04/1995	JAPAN			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
/MS/	2001-346218	12/14/2001	JAPAN			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
/MS/	2002-152541	03/24/2002	JAPAN			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
						<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
						<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
						<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
						<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
						<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Papers, etc.)	
/MS/	Patent Abstracts of Japan for 07-203228
/MS/	Patent Abstracts of Japan for 2001-346218
/MS/	Patent Abstracts of Japan for 2002-152541
/MS/	Japanese Office Action dated August 12, 2005 of corresponding Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-195787

Examiner	/Manav Seth/	Date Considered	05/12/2007
EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP §609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.			

952566 v1